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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF WYOMING

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 18-CR-108-S

WILLIAM JOHN LEE, et al.

Defendants.

UNITED STATES' REQUEST FOR STATUS CONFERENCE

COMES NOW the United States of America, by and through Trevor J, Schenk, Special Assistant United States Attorney, and hereby request a status conference in this matter in an effort to streamline the discovery process and the pretrial motion and hearing deadlines and minimize unnecessary efforts of court personnel and counsel.

On July 19, 2018, an indictment was returned in this matter charging four defendants with two counts of various controlled substance violations and three counts of various firearm violations. All the defendants have had their initial appearances and arraignments and all have different scheduling deadlines.

This case involves the investigation of a large drug trafficking organization in the Park County and Natrona County, Wyoming, areas. During the investigation, law enforcement obtained authorization to wire intercept four telephone lines. In addition, the investigation involved numerous controlled buys; numerous search warrants executed on residences and cellular telephones; video and photograph surveillance; and other forms of investigation, which produced a large volume of discovery.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests the court set a status conference to streamline matters in this case.

DATED this 7th day of August, 2018.

Respectfully submitted,

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By: <u>/s/ Trevor J. Schenk</u>

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that on this 3rd day of August, 2018, I served true and correct copies of the foregoing UNITED STATES' REQUEST FOR A STATUS CONFERENCE upon all counsel via CM/ECF.

/s/ Lisa Wait
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE